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L1 747 S (RECESSIVE DYSTROPHIC EPIDERMOLYSIS BULLOSA)/AB  
L2 410 S (RECESSIVE DYSTROPHIC EPIDERMOLYSIS BULLOSA)/TI AND L1  
L3 424 S (RECESSIVE AND DYSTROPHIC AND EPIDERMOLYSIS AND BULLOSA)/TI A  
L4 1233 S (RECESSIVE AND DYSTROPHIC AND EPIDERMOLYSIS AND BULLOSA)/TI  
L5 456 DUP REM L4 (777 DUPLICATES REMOVED)  
L6 1 S L5 AND (BASIC AND FIBROBLAST AND GROWTH)/TI  
L7 0 S L6 AND (CURCUMIN OR DEMETHOXYCURCUMIN)

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L9 ANSWER 3 OF 8 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2003 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC. on STN  
SO Journal of Pharmacy and Pharmacology, (1997) Vol. 49, No. 1, pp.  
105-107.

CODEN: JPPMAB. ISSN: 0022-3573.

AB Because **curcumin**, a compound with anti-inflammatory and anticancer activity, inhibits induction of nitric oxide synthase in activated macrophages and has been shown to be a potent scavenger of free radicals we have investigated whether it can scavenge nitric oxide directly. **Curcumin** reduced the amount of nitrite formed by the reaction between oxygen and nitric oxide generated from sodium nitroprusside. Other related compounds, e.g. **demethoxycurcumin**, bisdemethoxycurcumin and diacetylcumarin were as active as **curcumin**, indicating that the methoxy and the phenolic groups are not essential for the scavenging activity. The results indicate **curcumin** to be a scavenger of nitric oxide. Because this compound is implicated in inflammation and **cancer**, the therapeutic properties of **curcumin** against these conditions might be at least partly explained by its free-radical scavenging properties, including those toward nitric oxide.

IT Major Concepts

Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics; Enzymology (Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics); Pharmacology; Tumor Biology

IT Chemicals & Biochemicals

**NITRIC OXIDE**; **CURCUMIN**; **NITRIC OXIDE SYNTHASE**;  
**DEMETHOXYCURCUMIN**; **DIACETYLCURCUMIN**

IT Miscellaneous Descriptors

**ANTIINFLAMMATORY AGENT**; **ANTINEOPLASTIC AGENT**; **BISDEMETHOXYCURCUMIN**;  
**CURCUMIN**; **DEMETHOXYCURCUMIN**; **DIACETYLCURCUMIN**; **NITRIC OXIDE**; **NITRIC OXIDE SYNTHASE**; **PHARMACOLOGY**

RN 10102-43-9 (**NITRIC OXIDE**)

458-37-7 (**CURCUMIN**)

125978-95-2 (**NITRIC OXIDE SYNTHASE**)

22608-11-3 (**DEMETHOXYCURCUMIN**)

19697-86-0 (**DIACETYLCURCUMIN**)

L4 ANSWER 13 OF 33 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN  
 TI A collagen XVIII fragment as an inhibitor of angiogenesis and  
 its therapeutic uses in the treatment of angiogenesis-dependent  
 cancers  
 PI WO 9715666 A1 19970501  
 PATENT NO. KIND DATE APPLICATION NO. DATE  
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 PI WO 9715666 A1 19970501 WO 1996-US16925 19961023 <--  
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 LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, MD, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, NO, NZ, PL, PT,  
 RO, RU, SD, SE, SG, SI, SK, TJ, TM, TR, TT, UA, UG, UZ, VN, AM,  
 AZ, BY, KG, KZ, MD, RU, TJ, TM  
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 IE, IT, LU, MC, NL, PT, SE, BF, BJ, CF, CG, CI  
 US 5854205 A 19981229 US 1996-740168 19961022 <--  
 AU 9674666 A1 19970515 AU 1996-74666 19961023 <--  
 AU 717277 B2 20000323  
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 JP 2002501362 T2 20020115 JP 1997-516724 19961023  
 AT 248912 E 20030915 AT 1996-936842 19961023  
 NO 9801803 A 19980617 NO 1998-1803 19980422 <--  
 US 2002086352 A1 20020704 US 1998-174282 19981016  
 US 6544758 B2 20030408  
 US 2002127595 A1 20020912 US 1998-174516 19981016  
 AB Endostatin, an inhibitor of endothelial cell proliferation that is capable  
 of inhibiting angiogenesis and causing tumor regression is  
 described for therapeutic use. The protein has potential therapeutic use  
 in a no. disease assocd. with abnormal angiogenesis. Endostatin  
 is approx. 20 kDa and corresponds to a C-terminal fragment of collagen  
 type XVIII, and methods of treating angiogenesis-related  
 disease. The protein was identified in conditioned medium from the  
 hemangioblastoma cell line EOMA using inhibition of  
 proliferation of cultured endothelial cells. Inhibition was specific to  
 endothelial cells. The protein was. . .

L4 ANSWER 2 OF 33 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2003 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC. on STN  
AN 1998:274115 BIOSIS  
DN PREV199800274115  
TI Antiangiogenesis and apoptosis as mediators of concomitant tumor  
resistance induced by Calu-6, a human lung carcinoma cell line, in nude  
mice.  
AU Bonfil, R. Daniel [Reprint author]; Bustuoabad, Oscar D.; Binda, M.  
Mercedes  
CS Lab. Fundacion Invest. Cancer CEFYBO, Serrano 669, 1414 Buenos Aires,  
Argentina  
SO Oncology Research, (1998) Vol. 10, No. 1, pp. 15-21. print.  
CODEN: ONREE8. ISSN: 0965-0407.  
DT Article  
LA English  
ED Entered STN: 24 Jun 1998  
Last Updated on STN: 24 Jun 1998  
AB Concomitant resistance (CR), the phenomenon by which tumor-bearing hosts  
are able to inhibit secondary implants of the same tumor at distant sites  
of the body, has been previously observed by us and others in different  
murine tumor models. Here, we verified the generation of CR in nude mice  
by tumors induced by SC inoculation of Calu-6, a human lung carcinoma cell  
line. Histological analysis of secondary tumors subject to CR did not  
reveal macrophage infiltration nor cytotoxic signs. Although serum from  
tumor-bearing mice inhibited in vitro (3H)thymidine uptake by Calu-6  
cells, no significant differences in (3H)thymidine labeling index of  
tumors implanted in the right flank of mice with and without a primary  
tumor in the left flank were detected. In our model, the presence of a  
primary tumor hindered remote tumor **angiogenesis**, as well as  
serum from tumor-bearing mice inhibited in vitro proliferation of an  
endothelial cell line derived from a murine **hemangioendothelioma**  
. Conversely, an enhancement of the apoptotic index was observed in  
secondary tumor implants carried out in tumor-bearing mice. The results  
reported herein show that human tumor cells are capable of inducing CR,  
and that this phenomenon would be a consequence of an impaired  
neovascularization as well as an increased programmed cell death at sites  
distant from the primary tumor.  
CC Neoplasms - Pathology, clinical aspects and systemic effects 24004  
Cytology - Human 02508  
Respiratory system - Pathology 16006  
IT Major Concepts  
    Tumor Biology  
IT Miscellaneous Descriptors  
    antiangiogenesis; apoptosis; tumor growth; tumor resistance  
ORGN Classifier  
    Hominidae 86215  
    Super Taxa  
        Primates; Mammalia; Vertebrata; Chordata; Animalia  
    Organism Name  
        Calu-6: human lung carcinoma  
    Taxa Notes  
        Animals, Chordates, Humans, Mammals, Primates, Vertebrates  
ORGN Classifier  
    Muridae 86375  
    Super Taxa  
        Rodentia; Mammalia; Vertebrata; Chordata; Animalia  
    Organism Name  
        nude mouse  
    Taxa Notes  
        Animals, Chordates, Mammals, Nonhuman Vertebrates, Nonhuman Mammals,  
        Rodents, Vertebrates

L4 ANSWER 3 OF 33 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2003 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC. on STN  
AN 1997:511206 BIOSIS

DN PREV199799810409  
TI Tenascin-C expression in ultrastructurally defined angiogenic and  
vasculogenic lesions.  
AU Kostianovsky, Mery [Reprint author]; Greco, M. Alba; Cangiarella, Joan;  
Zagzag, David  
CS Dep. Pathol., Anat. Cell Biol., Thomas Jefferson Univ., 1015 Chestnut,  
Suite 902, Philadelphia, PA 19107, USA  
SO Ultrastructural Pathology, (1997) Vol. 21, No. 6, pp. 537-544.  
CODEN: ULPAD3. ISSN: 0191-3123.  
DT Article  
LA English  
ED Entered STN: 10 Dec 1997  
Last Updated on STN: 10 Dec 1997  
AB Tenascin-C (TN) is an extracellular matrix glycoprotein expressed during  
embryogenesis. Its distribution is restricted in normal adult tissues and  
is upregulated in tumors and inflammatory conditions. Twenty-five  
specimens were studied, including 7 reactive vascular lesions (6 cases of  
granulation tissue and 1 case of bacillary angiomas), and 18 vascular  
tumors (6 angiosarcomas, 7 hemangioendotheliomas, and 5 AIDS-related  
nodular type Kaposi's sarcomas). Formalin fixed-paraffin-embedded tissues  
were stained with monoclonal antibody to TN (DAKO) and with MIB-1 (AMAC).  
Heterogeneous expression of TN immunoreactivity was seen in all cases,  
with a diffuse pattern in bacillary angiomas and most granulation  
tissue cases and a focal pattern in angiosarcoma and most  
**hemangioendothelioma** cases. Kaposi's sarcoma cases showed both a  
focal and diffuse pattern of distribution. In most cases proliferation  
indices (PI) did not correlate with TN expression. Electron microscopy  
demonstrated active **angiogenesis** in bacillary angiomas and  
granulation tissue and vasculogenesis in angiosarcoma and  
**hemangioendothelioma**. The study demonstrated positive TN  
expression in reactive lesions with **angiogenesis** (granulation  
tissue and bacillary angiomas) and neoplastic lesions showing  
vasculogenesis (angiosarcoma and **hemangioendothelioma**), although  
with a different pattern of distribution. These results suggest that TN  
might be an important extracellular matrix glycoprotein in  
**angiogenesis** and vasculogenesis.  
CC Microscopy - Electron microscopy 01058  
Cytology - Human 02508  
Biochemistry studies - Proteins, peptides and amino acids 10064  
Biophysics - Methods and techniques 10504  
Biophysics - Molecular properties and macromolecules 10506  
Anatomy and Histology - Microscopic and ultramicroscopic anatomy 11108  
Cardiovascular system - Blood vessel pathology 14508  
Neoplasms - Pathology, clinical aspects and systemic effects 24004  
IT Major Concepts  
Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics; Cardiovascular Medicine (Human  
Medicine, Medical Sciences); Cell Biology; Methods and Techniques;  
Morphology; Oncology (Human Medicine, Medical Sciences)  
IT Miscellaneous Descriptors  
ANGIOGENIC LESIONS; ANGIOSARCOMA; CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM; ELECTRON  
MICROSCOPY; EMBRYOGENESIS; EXPRESSION; EXTRACELLULAR MATRIX  
GLYCOPROTEIN; **HEMANGIOENDOTHELIOMA**; KAPOSI'S SARCOMA;  
MICROSCOPY METHOD; NEOPLASTIC DISEASE; TENASCIN-C; ULTRASTRUCTURALLY  
DEFINED; VASCULAR LESIONS; VASCULOGENESIS  
ORGN Classifier  
Hominidae 86215  
Super Taxa  
Primates; Mammalia; Vertebrata; Chordata; Animalia  
Organism Name  
human  
Taxa Notes  
Animals, Chordates, Humans, Mammals, Primates, Vertebrates

L25 ANSWER 6 OF 26 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2003 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC. on STN  
TI The prognostic significance of **basic fibroblast**  
**growth factor** in cutaneous **malignant**  
**melanoma**.  
SO Journal of Cutaneous Pathology, (1996) Vol. 23, No. 6, pp.  
506-510.  
CODEN: JCUPBN. ISSN: 0303-6987.  
AB **Basic fibroblast growth factor**  
(bFGF) is a growth factor and an **angiogenesis** factor which may  
play a role in the evolution of cutaneous **malignant**  
**melanoma** (CMM). In this study, we evaluated the distribution of  
bFGF in CMM using immunochemical methods and correlated the pattern of. .

L19 ANSWER 2 OF 25 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2003 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC. on STN  
AN 1998:321336 BIOSIS  
DN PREV199800321336  
TI Vascular endothelial growth factor and basic fibroblast growth factor present in Kaposi's sarcoma (KS) are induced by inflammatory cytokines and synergize to promote vascular permeability and KS lesion development.  
AU Samaniego, Felipe; Markham, Phillip D.; Gendelman, Rita; Watanabe, Yoshiki; Kao, Vivien; Kowalski, Kimberly; Sonnabend, Joseph A.; Pintus, Aldo; Gallo, Robert C.; Ensoli, Barbara  
CS Lab. Virol., Ist. Superiore di Sanita, Viale Regina Elena 299, 00161 Rome, Italy  
SO American Journal of Pathology, (June, 1998) Vol. 152, No. 6, pp. 1433-1443. print.  
CODEN: AJPAA4. ISSN: 0002-9440.  
DT Article  
LA English  
ED Entered STN: 22 Jul 1998  
Last Updated on STN: 22 Jul 1998  
TI Vascular endothelial growth factor and basic fibroblast growth factor present in Kaposi's sarcoma (KS) are induced by inflammatory cytokines and synergize to promote vascular permeability and KS lesion development.  
AB All forms of Kaposi's sarcoma (KS) are characterized by spindle cell proliferation, **angiogenesis**, inflammatory cell infiltration, and edema. We have previously reported that spindle cells of primary KS lesions and KS-derived spindle cell cultures express high levels of **basic fibroblast** growth factor (bFGF), which is promoted by the inflammatory cytokines identified in these lesions. These cytokines, namely, tumor necrosis factor, interleukin-1, and Interferon-gamma, induce production and release of bFGF, which stimulates **angiogenesis** and spindle cell growth in an autocrine fashion. Here we show that both AIDS-KS and classical KS lesions co-express vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF) and bFGF. VEGF production by KS cells is promoted synergistically by inflammatory cytokines present in conditioned media from activated T cells and in KS lesions. KS cells show synthesis of VEGF isoforms that are mitogenic to endothelial cells but not to KS spindle cells, suggesting a prevailing paracrine effect of this cytokine. This may be due to the level of expression of the flt-1-VEGF receptor that is down-regulated in KS cells as compared with endothelial cells. KS-derived bFGF and VEGF synergize in inducing endothelial cell growth as shown by studies using both neutralizing antibodies and antisense oligodeoxynucleotides directed against these cytokines. In addition, VEGF and bFGF synergize to induce angiogenic KS-like lesions in nude mice and vascular permeability and edema in guinea pigs. These results indicate that inflammatory cytokines present in KS lesions stimulate the production of bFGF and VEGF, which, in turn, cooperate to induce **angiogenesis**, edema, and KS lesion formation.